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SUBURBAN NEWS

ANACOSTIA.

The week of prayer, which next week is observed at most of the Protestant churches throughout the world, will be observed at the Anacostia M. E. Church, Rev. James McLaren, pastor, with services beginning on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, when the pastor will preach and administer the hely communion. Mr. Me-Laren will also preach at night. On Monday and Tuesday night services will be conducted by Miss Dew of the Deaconess' Home, Washington; Thursday night, Miss Ida E. Miner, also of the Deaconess' home, will have charge of the exercises, and on Friday night the services will again be conducted by Miss Dew. The annual election of officers of the Epworth League will take place on next Wednesday night. The retiring officers are: President, Dr. A. M. Green; first vice president, H. A. Linger, sr.; second vice president, Mrs. Ida L. McLaren; third vice president, Mr. John E. Powell; fourth vice president, Miss Cora C. McLean; secretary, Miss Stella M. Fort; treasurer, Miss Corrie B.

The Anacostia Railway Company were enough, notwithstanding heavy fall of snow last night, to have all their cars make full trips, and with but little delay. Within half an hour after the snow began to fall Superintendent as a result the tracks were kept compara-

Three large bags of horse feed, which were taken some days ago from a colored man on suspicion that they had been stolen, and taken to the Anacostia police station, have been identified as the prop-erty of the Eckington and Soldiers' Home

Railroad Company.
Virgil Cross, who has been spending the olidays with his mother, Mrs. L. Cross, No. 304 Fillmore street, yesterday returned to school near Baltimore.

TAKOMA PARK.

The prayer meeting on New Year eve, under the auspices of the Methodist Society, at the home of Mr. Norman Brainard, was a regular old-fashioned watch night service, commencing at 9 o'clock and lasting until 12, with songs, prayer, testimonials, etc. Mr. R. W. Best, president of the association, led the meeting, and received many congratulations upon the very successful result from the operation upon his eye, his sight having been perfectly restored. This organization will entertain their friends in Takoma Hall on Friday night with an old-fashioned taffy pull and social, under direction of the ladies of the

Miss Susie Davis of Rockville is a guest of Miss Irene Steers of Montgomery avenue. Miss Davis, with Miss Rose Whitmer, assisted Miss Steers in receiving her friends on New Year day

Mrs. C. M. Danforth of Albion, N. Y., is visiting Mrs. M. C. Danforth of Sycamore avenue. Miss Florence Howlett is spendng the week with Miss Esther Danforth. The Dramatic and Literary Club, No. 2, now known as the Sleepy Hollow Assembly, holding semi-monthly meetings at the homes of the members, with a good time as its object. The club now numbers nine, viz., Misses Ella K. Chamberlin, Edna Giltert, Marcia Swormstedt, Eltinge Marshall, Mary Cady, and Messrs. Claude Gilbert, Charles Van Horn, Smith Cady and Jay

The coasting during the past week has een without a parallel in the history of Takoma, young and old seeming to take equal pleasure in this amusement, the on Magnolia avenue offering unusual facil-Mabel, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith, who has been quite ill, the result of a cold, is improving.

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and Mr. B. Duvall Chambers was elected | the old residents. his successor, after which the following program was rendered: Music, Miss Tillie Dyson; declamation, W. J. Williams; reading, Mrs. Jas. J. Jones; music, Miss Margaret Allnutt; reading, "Mrs. Blake's Trip to the White Mountains," Mrs. C. B. Allnutt; declamation, George B. Allnutt; declamation, Ernest Allnutt; music, Miss Bled-soe; recitation, Miss Jennie Young. The several pieces were received with much applause. The next meeting of the society will be held at the residence of Mr. Benjamin Allnutt on Friday evening, 18th inst. In the orphans' court yesterday letters of dministration on the personal estate of to Martha E. Downs; bond, \$400.

Miss Bessie Perry of Luray, Va., is a visitor at the home of Mrs. James H. Jones in Poolesville district. Mr. Thomas Chiswell of Missouri is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. H. Rawlins, near The recent entertainment given by the

teachers and pupils of the Sunday school at Comus was largely attended and much enjoyed. The exercises opened with an organ voluntary by Miss E. Tysie Johnorgan voluntary by Miss E. 17816 Johnson, followed by prayer by the pastor, Rev. M. P. Smith. Then followed a chorus by the school; "Glory to the King," quartet, Prof. Baker, Misses Myrtle and Myra Wolfe and Emma Maxwell; duet, "Wonderful Song," Misses Georgie and Jessie Helland; "Christmas Star," Miss Maxwell's class; "Angels' Song," by the school; solo, "Over in Bethlehem," Miss Mattie B. Johnscn; song, "Merry Christmas Bells," Misses Virgie Maxwell, Edna Maxwell and Mattie Johnson; recitation, Miss Myra Wolfe; quartet, "Glory to God," Messrs. Baker and Davis and Misses Maxwell and Wolfe. The literary and musical part of the entertainment were followed by addresses by Messrs. Maxwell, Harley, Young and others. The exercises concluded with a distribution of gifts to the teachers and

On Monday night a pleasant sociable and dancing party was held at the residence of Mr. Charles Clagett at "Janetta," this town, which was participated in by a number of young ladies and gentlemen of this section of the county. Among those in attendance were Misses Mariel Fisher, Poomac; Cora Allison, Halpine; Pauline Rabbitt, Derwood; Lillie Davis, Rose, Kate and Hattie Clagett, Mrs. John Davis and Mrs. Amanda Ricketts; Messrs. Jas. Kelchner, Carey Kingdom, Harry King, Chas. Mad-Wallace Ricketts, Daingerfield Windom, Edward Windom, Chas. and Joseph Clagett and others. A fine supper and refresh-ments were served. The festivities were continued to the early hours of the new

rupils of the school.

The term of Associate Judge John T. Vinson of the circuit court for this county will expire on Saturday next on account of the age limit of seventy years. For the past thirteen years Judge Vinson has occupied this honorable and important posiion to the entire satisfaction of the ple of the county, and the failure of the legislature to extend his term to the strongly criticised by members of the bar and a large majority of the people, both of this and Frederick county. The posi-tion will be filled by appointment of the governor until the next general election. appointment, and there is likely to be a lively scramble for the nomination at the ratic primaries. Taking the vote at the last election as a basis the republicans have a majority in the judicial dis-trict, composed of this and Frederick county, and that party has strong hopes of being able to fill the place.

FALLS CHURCH.

Mr. W. N. Lynch has purchased a lot of Elmer I. Crump on Broad street, and will build on same in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hatch of Arlington started for Kansas yesterday on a visit to relatives and friends, and will not return

his resignation as editor of the "Critic," a teacher here, as will be remembered by Mr. Leopold Olszewski has moved into his new house just completed in the Sher-

wood subdivision. The remains of Miss Leah May, who died here on Tuesday night, were sent to her home in Charleston, W. Va.
Mr. F. W. Tower of Washington, spent Miss Ida J. Ouick is visiting her sister Mrs. C. W. Rubb, in Washington. Mr. D. A. Breckinridge, who has been at his home in Purcellville, Loudoun county, returned here on Tuesday. Mr. Breckin-ridge has decided to make his home here,

and will move his family at an early date. The purchaser of the Noetzel property is Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kerr of Michigan are visiting their brother, Mr. V. E. Kerr. They are accompanied by Miss Libbie Butler

also from Michigan. Mr. Charles Gulager had the misfortune to have his pocket picked while passing hrough the gate in 6th street depot on Tuesday. The thief secured \$17. Mr. Russell Fravell of Woodstock has re-turned, after a month's visit to his home. Mr. Fravell has fully recovered his health. The public graded school of the town reopened on Wednesday morning, after ter

days' recess. Reception of Grand Commandery. Sir L. H. Wayne (32d degree), R. E. G. C., and staff held their annual reception at the residence of the R. E. G. C., 315 East Capitol street, New Year day. There was a large attendance of sir knights and friends who called to pay their respects to the R. E. G. C. The following members of the staff were present and assisted the R. E. G. C. in receiving his guests: E. P. Minor, V. E. D. G. C.; P. B. Merridith, E. G. generalissimo; P. H. Simmons, grand captain general; Michel H. Robinson (32d degree), E. G. treasurer, and Grand Recorder Seville. Among the prominent sir mights present were the eminent commanders of Simon, Gethsemane and Mount Calvary commanderies; also P. R. E. G. C S. H. West, J. H. Burrell, T. A. Jackson, J. H. Dorster, G. H. P.; Henry Coleman,

grand master, and many others.

Marriage licenses have been granted to the following: Albert E. Blackistone of Anacostia, D. C., and Sarah A. Mattingly of this city; Sterling E. Fox of Blackstone, Va., and Ella F. Lewis of Dinwiddie county, Va.; John A. Wilkinson of this city and Annie M. Heinline of Philadelphia, Pa.; John A. Roeder and Martha A. Miller William H. Thomas and Nellie Ford; Rob's Ware and Florence Blackinton; Charles E. Posey of Charles county, Md.; S. Jackson Butler and Dorsey Burton, both of Culpeper county, Va.; Kirk Alberton and Dory Wooster; Charles Moore and Clara Williams.

City Post Office Examination. The regular semi-annual examination for the grades of clerk and carrier in the city post office will be held on Tuesday. February 5. Applications will be accepted up to the hour of closing business on Wednesday, January 16. No person can be examined for the position of earrier if under twentyone or over forty years of age, and no person can be examined for clerk if under eighteen years of age. The civil service commission states decidedly that the examinations are open to all reputable citizens who may desire to enter the posta service, without regard to their political affiliations. All such citizens, whether democrats or republicans, or neither, the commission invites to apply.

Arraigned in Court.

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A business meeting at the residence of Rev. D. L. Rathbum on Saturday night, when the election of officers and delegates to the annual meeting of the State Society, which meet in Staunton, January 15, will take proper standard by musical large law with Mr. A. Prince, Mr. and Mrs. A. Adams, alias J. Adams, alia place before Judge Cole, in Criminal Court

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GEOGRAPHIC SOCIETY.

A Lecture by Labor Commissioner Carroll D. Wright.

The lecture to be delivered before the National Geographic Society tomorrow evening, at National Rifles' Hall, will be on "The Labor and Industries of the South," by Carroll D. Wright, United States commissioner of labor and member of the special commission appointed by President night Senator Sherman, Senator Hale, Replast summer. Admission to these lectures Boardman, Mr. Le Ghait, Mr. Gough, Comis by member's card only.

At the last meeting of the board of managers about forty new members were elected, among whom were Mr. Justice Strong of the Supreme Court of the United States, Gen. John Gibbon and Gen. M. R. Morgan, U. S. army; Admiral John G. Walker and Commodore E. O. Matthews, U. S. navy; Senators John Sherman, N. C. Blanchard and O. H. Platt, Representatives J. H. Walker and T. W. Phillips, Mr. John as, to Mr. Henry Fisher. The ceremony W. Ross, president of the District Commisioners: Judges A. B. Hagner and Geo. L. Commander J. E. Pillsbury, U. S. N.; Augustine Heard, ex-minister to Corea; Rev. Dr. Alex. Mackay Smith of St. John's Church, Capts. W. C. Wise, Charles D. Sigsbee, Geo. F. F. Wilde and Thomas Nelson, U. S. N.; and Senor Don A. Lazo Arriaga, envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary of Guatemala

Revised Schedule.

The following revised schedule of the society's lectures was issued today: January 4-"Labor and Industries of the South," Mr. Carroll D. Wright. January 11-"The Northern Appalachians," Mr. Bai-Davis. February 8-"Topographic Forms," Maj. Gilbert Thompson. February 15- Re cent Discoveries in Assyria and Babylonia, Rev. Dr. Francis Brown. February 22-"Practical Results of Bering Sea Arbitration," Mr. J. Stanley-Brown. March 1-President's annual address, Mr. Gardiner G Hubbard. March 8-"The Mexican Boundary," Mr. A. T. Mosman. March 15-"Tur " Rev. Dr. Henry H. Jessup. March "Washington to Pittsburg to St. Paul," Dr. David T.Day, Mr. G. K. Gilbert. March 22—"St. Paul to Yellowstone Park to Port land," Mr. Walter H. Weed, Mr. Bailey Wil March 22-"The Alaskan Boundary, Mr. J. E. McGrath, Mr. H. P.Ritter. March 25-"Portland to Sacramento to Los Angeles," Mr. J. S. Diller, Mr. Willard D. Johnson. March 29—"Los Angeles to Flagstaff; the Grand Canon," Maj. J. W. Powell, Mr. C. D. Walcott. March 29—"Oregon," Mr. J. H. Mitchell. April 1-"Trip to Mexico Flagstaff to Rocky Mountains," Mr. W. J McGee, Mr. Frank H. Cushing. April 5-Rocky Mountains to the Mississippi and have resumed their Wednesday Potomac," Mr. F. H. Newell, Maj. Jed. Hotchkiss. April 5—"Physical Geography of the Great Lakes," Prof. Mark W. Har-rington. April 12—"Argentina," Dr. D. Estanislao S. Zeballos.

OF LONG STANDING.

Rumors of the Reopening of a Labor Question.

It is understood in labor circles that or temorrow evening there will be a conference between representatives of the Federation of Labor, District Assembly No. 66. Knights of Labor, and Columbia Typegraphical Union, for the purpose of determining the relations existing between the organizations indicated and the Lyceum Theater. Three years ago the management of the Lyceum came in conflict with organized labor by reason of the employment in the orchestra of a musician whose membership in the musical union, by reason of non-payment of dues, had lansed. This was the starting point of a controversy which resulted in a boycett against the theater. Concessions were made and the incident closed. It is alleged by the representatives of organized labor in the been employed. In a talk this afternoon with a reporter for The Star, Manager Kernan stated that no non-union men were employed about the theater. He paid union and employed union men. He did this not only because it was to his i nterest to do so, but because personally he was a believer in the effectiveness for good of labor organizations. He had understood that several men not members of unions remodeled, but this was contract work, and he did not have direct control of the men. His contracts all read that only union men are to be employed on any work which he contracts for. He did not know that there was trouble in the air, but thought that if there was it could be readily adjusted.

Independent Order Mechanics. Anchor Lodge, No. 9, I. O. M., at their meeting on Monday night, elected the following officers: S. M., W. E. Mooney; W. M., W. E. Potbury; J. M., Geo. Thomas; R. treasurer, A. T. Evans; chaplain, W. K.

The Dinners, Musicales and Teas of Yes-

Pleasant Entertainments Marking the First Days of the New Year-Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry F. Blount of "The

Oaks" entertained a number of friends last night at a musicale, to which their guest, Miss Jennie E. Slater, contributed several delightful vocal selections. The house, which is so pleasantly known to a wide circle in society, was tastefully decorated with flowers from the conservatories. Mrs. Blount wore a Paris gown of light gray satin, with pink and gold passementeries; Miss Blount, an empire gown in white silk. Miss Bessie Blount was in yellow satin and chiffon, Miss Rosalie Fearnen, a guest, was in white chiffon, and Miss Slater wore white crepe and chiffon. Mrs. E. Z. Perkins, Miss Mary Powell, Prof. Lent, Miss Chittenden, Mr. Delano, Mr. Charles E. Rice and Prof. Lawrence contributed to the musical program, to which a large company listened with pleasure. Among those present were Justice Brown, Miss Pitts and Miss Palms, Justice and Mrs. Pitts and Miss Palms, Justice and Mrs. Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Parker, Gen. and Mrs. Greely, Dr. Shippen, Assistant Secretary and Mrs. Uhl, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Warner, Miss Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Bell, Miss Bell, Justice and Mrs. Harley, the Misses Harley, Mr. Gardiner Harlen, the Misses Harlan, Mr. Gardiner Hubbard, Miss Helen Tisdell, Mr. and Mrs. Lester H. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Pilling, Miss Anna Seaton Schmidt, Dr. and Mrs. Fran-Anna Seaton Schmidt, Dr. and Mrs. Fran-cis Ransom Smith, Dr. Burnett, Mr. and Mrs. Ffoulke, Dr. McElhone, Miss Marie Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Bailey, Col. and Miss Nicolay, Mrs. Somers, Mrs. Comstock, Dr. Chase, Mrs. Parks, Mr. Itob-ert Chapman, Mr. Waldo Pilling, Mr. Charles Robinson and Prof. Harris.

Mr., Philip C. Johnson, widow of Admiral Johnson, introduced to her friends yesterday her very pretty young daughter, Miss Isabelle Johnson, at an afternoon tea. Their apartments at the Portland were thronged from 5 to 7 by a company thoroughly well acquainted, and which seemed to include most of the Spanish-speaking folks in society. The flowers sent to the debutante banked the mantels with blooming fragrance. Miss Johnson carried a burgh of research white hyacinths. Her a bunch of roses and white hyacinths. Her gown was of white satin and chiffon. In the tea room Mrs. F. L. Chapin and Mrs. R. H. Minor did the honors and had the valuable assistance of a group of young ladies, which included Miss Marie Zeballos, Miss Carmody, Miss Mimmack, Miss Brad-ford, Miss Hancock, Miss Hemphill, Miss Beale, Miss Wainwright and Miss Thomas. Among the guests were the Chilean minister and Mrs. Gana, Miss Edwards, Mrs. Romero, Lieut. and Mrs. Attwell, Minister Zeballos, Minister and Mrs. Lazo Arriaga, Miss Morton, Admiral and Mrs. Ramsay, Commander and Mrs. Chadwick, Mr. and Mrs. Cummins, Mrs. Carvallo, Paymaster and Mrs. Cosby, Col. and Mrs. Lieber, Chief Constructor and Mrs. Hichborn, Miss Hichborn, bern, Admiral and Mrs. Selfridge, Mrs. Dean, Mrs. Hopkins, Mrs. and the Misses Worthington and Mrs. and Miss Kelly.

The German ambassador, Baron von Saurma-Jeltsch, entertained at dinner last General Maxwell, Assistant Secretary Ham-lin, Mr. Josiah Pierce, Mr. Calderon Car-lisle and Baron von Flotow.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore W. Noyes have returned from a tour through Spain, Palestine and Egypt, and are at their home,

as, to Mr. Henry Fisher. The ceremony will take place at high noon, Saturday, January 19, at Epiphany Church, New York city. A breakfast will follow at halfpast 12 at 242 Lexington avenue. couple will go abroad for their wedding

Mrs. S. H. Kauffmann will give a lunchon Thursday, January 10, to meet Mrs. A. D. Moore of California Mrs. Fuller and Miss Catherine Fuller have cards out for a tea, January 8, 4 to

7, to meet Miss Rosalys Jones. Invitations are out for the Bachelors' germans, January 9 and 30, and February assembly at 9:15 and cotillion at 10 o'clock. Mr. Wm. Hall Slack is the president, and on the executive committee are ley Willis. January 18—"The Nicaragua Canal," Mr. John R. Proctor. January 25—
"The Headwaters of the Mississippi," Elliot Coues, M. D. February 1—"The Seine, the Meuse and the Moselle," Prof. William M. Davis, February 8—"The New York Prof. William M. Davis, February 8—"The Nicaragua dent, and on the executive committee are Mr. Jesse Brown, Mr. R. S. Chilton, jr., Mr. C. C. Glover, Marquis Imperiali, Mr. George Howard, Mr. Clemens Ketteler, Mr. Chas. Laurie McCawley, Mr. John Van Ness Phillips, Mr. Alex. Rodgers and Mr. P. Lee Phillip.

Mrs. J. C. Heald has luncheon invitations out for Thursday, January 10. Mrs. William Winthrop, 1620 I street, has cards out for Fridays in January, 4 to 7.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wilson will give a dinner Tuesday, January 29. Ex-Postmaster General Don M. Dickin-

son and wife will be guests tonight at President and Mrs. Cleveland's state dinner to the cabinet.

Mrs. Blaine is living temporarily in her house on Dupont Circle, to which the furniture and paintings from her old home have been removed. Mr. James Blaine, who is studying law at the University of Virginia, will be here off and on during the winter, and Mrs. Blaine also expects Mrs. Truxton Beale to make her a visit. Mrs. Zeballos and Mrs. Felixa Zeballos,

wife and mother of the Argentine minister. and received last night with their usual cordial manner. They were assisted by Mrs. Atwell and Miss Zeballos. Mrs. Ross Thompson will be at home

Thursdays in January at her residence, Connecticut and Kalorama avenues. Mrs. W. J. Miller will be at home Fridays January 11 and 25, assisted by Miss Marian Miller and Mrs. Everett Rapley. Mrs. Geo. C. Gorham and Mrs. W. F Clark, 1763 Q street, will be at home Saturdays in January and February.

visiting her cousin, Mrs. W. H. Klopfer, 1116 5th street northwest. The engagement is announced of Miss Annie Sabal Shepperd, daughter of Capt. Hambleton Shepperd of Virginia, to Mr. Miles J. Renick, son of Mr. Edward Ireland Renick of the Department of State. Mrs. Parker, Soldiers' Home, will not be

Miss Alice Newell of Richmond, Va., is

at home Fridays in January, but will receive Fridays in February. Miss Emma H. Gilston, accompanied by Mrs. Charles P. Calvert and her daughters Edna and Blanch, have left St. Augustine for Palm Beach, Fla., where they will

spend the winter. Mrs. Linton, wife of Representative Linton of Michigan, is located at 219 North Capitol street, and has visiting her the Misses Miller of New York. Mr. Linton has not yet returned to Washington. Mrs. J. E. Quentin, widow of the late Capt. Quentin, fourteenth United States infantry, and Mrs. Fitz Gerald, with her little daughter, are making a short visit to the family of Lieut. S. J. Mulhall. They are pleasantly located at 1516 Q street

northwest. Miss Theresa Spandarm of Baltimore is visiting Miss Esther Rubenstine of 765 5th street, and will be at home to friends to-

Mrs. Lamoreux, assisted by Mrs. Willis Byron Smith, Miss King and Miss Husting, received New Year in their apartments at the Buckingham. The parlors were beautifully decorated for the occasion palms and flowers. Miss Husting of Wisconsin is a guest of Commissioner and Mrs. Lamoreux, and expects to spend the greater part of the winter in Washington.

The elegant new residence of Mr. and Mrs. R. Harris, 1532 16th street northwest, M., W. E. Potbury; J. M., Geo. Thomas; R. was the scene of a pleasant gathering on S., Chas. Johnson; F. S., A. G. Stevens; New Year night. Some of their friends tendered them a house warming surprise Butler: conductor, Carlin Estridge; trustees, party. Dancing was indulged in and sup-Thos. H. Watson, S. T. Ernest and A. G. per was served. Among those present were Stevens. After election of officers other Mr. and Mrs. J. Auerbach, Mr. and Mrs. E.

THE WORLD OF SOCIETY etta Kohner of Washington, D. C., to Edward Sommers of Wilmington, Del. At home Sunday evening, January 6, 7 to 10, at 1132 7th street.

> Mrs. Joel Hillman will be at home to morrow and Friday during the season. Miss Minnie Roberts has just returned from Middleburg, Loudoun county, Va., where she has been spending the holidays. A number of the members of the Acorn Circle were entertained by Miss May Mar-tyn at her residence, No. 232 9th street scutheast, on Tuesday evening last. Those present were the Misses May Ferguson, Bessie Henderson, Bessie Mundell, Laura Putlard, May Oxley, Messrs. Wallace Ac-ton, Edward Anderson, Herbert E. Martyn, Raymond Marion Martyn, John W. Martyn and John G. Rockwood.

and John G. Rockwood. Miss Willcox of Virginia is the guest of Mrs. G. Richard Thompson. Mrs. Edwin Jones of Memphis, Tenn., is

here on a visit to her sister, Mrs. A. Mosher, 1423 Howard avenue, Mount Pleas-Mrs. C. D. Hebb and daughter are in Washington on their way to Florida for the winter.

Mrs. Mary B. Howard and Miss Alice Allen of Dixon Springs, Tenn., are at the Ebbitt for the winter. Mr. and Mrs. John Feister gave a recep

tion on Thursday evening last in honor of Mr. John P. Buckley of New Orleans, Among those present were Misses Carrie Eanford, Belle Brownell, Daisy Dalton, Mrs. Hoff, Mr. M. Hoff, Mr. John P. Buckley and Mr. Chas. Dalton. A box party was last night given by

Misses Genevieve and Isabelle Whitlock, chaperoned by Mrs. Harris. Those present were Miss Daggart, Mr. Geo. Harris, Mr. Blake Talty and Mr. Geo. F. Waters. A pleasant evening was spent at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Benton, 1505 9th street, Monday evening, the occasion being a party given to their daughter Effie,

a party given to their daughter Eme, Music, dancing and games were enjoyed, Among those present were the Misses Bessie Sullivan, Kate O'Conner, Fanny O'Hare, Jennie McNickles, May Buckler, Grace Cramer, Lillian Benton, Mary Gibson, Mrs. Williams, Messrs. Harry Farrington, Guy Corbit, Frank Keys, Charlie Wimsatt, Nelson Wildman and George Sullivan. Mrs. Clara Green Baker, who for many years has been organist of the Lincoln Memorial Congregational Church, was tendered a farewell reception by the La-dies' Union of the church. After a solo by Mr. Thomas Johnson and an instru-

by Mr. Thomas Johnson and an instrumental solo by Miss Smith, the guests of the occasion favored the audience with one of her popular solos. Mrs. Baker was then presented with a handsome bronze clock by the Ladies' Union, the presentation speech being made by Mr. Reuben Smith, Refreshments were then served by the ladies. Mrs. Baker leaves to join her husband, who has removed to Asheville, N. C., to engage in Y. M. C. A. work there. A large gathering of friends witnessed a very pretty wedding at St. Patrick's Church this morning, when Miss Mary Costello was united in marriage to Mr.

Thomas Francis Cahill of Baltimore, Md.
The high altar was resplendent with its
Christmas decorations, and presented a
beautiful appearance, with its hundreds
of lighted candles. Miss Cora Gerish, a
friend of the bride, officiated at the organ, and played several selections while the guests were assembling. The ushers were Messrs. Daniel McCarthy, Charles Brooke, Hugh Reilly and John F. Costello, pre-ceding the bride and groom. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father McGee. The bride was stylishly attired in a traveling gown of brown and green cloth and wore a becoming hat to match. She carried a shower bouquet of orchids and lilles of the valley. There was no reception, as Mr. and Mrs. Cahill left immediately for a tour of New York and Boston. The wedding of Mr. John Alden Roeder

and Miss Martha Amelia Miller yesterday evening at the Eastern Presbyterian Church, Capitol Hill, was witnessed by a large gathering. The bride was richly gowned in heavy white silk, trimmed with point lace over full sleeves. The high collar was fastened with a brooch of fine diamends and she carried a large bount of monds, and she carried a large bouquet of bride's roses. Eugene E. Stevens was be man. Miss Nellie McCabe, the maid of honor, was attired in a pretty gown of ried white roses. The four bridesmaid were gowned in white muslin, carrying large bouquets of La France roses. They large es Ruth Gardner, Mabel Miller, Fanny McNulty and Jennie McCandy. The ushers were Messrs. Cary Nalle, George Thayer, William Smith and Gilbert A. Clark. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Thomas C. Easton, pastor of the church. The bride was given away by her father. A brother of the groom, Mr. Carl M. Roeder of New York city, played the organ, while a chorus was sung by the choir. The bride sang in the choir of the church in which she was married and the groom was leader of the same choir. A reception was held in the reception room of the church immediately after the ceremony. The bride and groom left last night on the 11 o'clock train for New York, and will make quite an extended tour.

A pretty dance was given at the Varium last night. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Byron F. Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. De Atmond. Mr. and Mrs. Ferd. Frank, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Moffitt, Mr. and Mrs. Eduard Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Griffin, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Foster, Mrs. H. D. Underwood, Mrs. Fay, Mrs. Fanny Wimans, Mrs. Ada Roe, Mrs. J. C. Roberts, Mrs. Williams, the Misses Williams, Frances Wilson, May Wilson, Ritchie, Ross, De Armond, Phellis, Field, Lane, Peffer, McGoodwin, Jones, Frances Hill, Morgan, Wilson, Johnson, Randolph, Hayden, Pollock, Richold, Fields, Randolph, Hayden, Pollock, Richold, Fields, Mr. J. S. Williams, Mr. John W. Ross, Mr. Robert Bowman, Mr. E. L. Beech, Mr. T. D. Crowe, Mr. G. S. Browning, Mr. J. M. Fairley, Mr. Griff Smith, Mr. C. G. Watsch, Mr. Brock, Mr. W. H. Rickey, Mr. H. G. Sisson, Mr. F. O. McKnew, Mr. W. T. Johnson, Messrs, Kerr. Mr. Barklay, Mr. Johnson, Messrs. Kerr, Mr. Barklay, Mr. J. T. Kemps, Mr. Underwood, Mr.C. Marsh, Mr. Tenney Ross, Mr. Reginald Pollock, Mr. R. A. Farmer, Mr. Hart Grigsby, Mr.

P. E. Cox. Mr. Jas. H. Clements of 908 Pennsylvania avenue southeast has gone to New Orleans, and, therefore, Mrs. Clements and her daughter did not receive this year.

Officers Installed.

On Tuesday evening Past Chancellor M. C. Thompson, acting as deputy grand chanchellor, installed the following officers of Decatur Lodge, No. 9, K. of P.: H. F. Belt, past chancellor; Frederick E. Weber, chancelicr commander; W. C. Herrell, vice chancellor; H. P. Markwood, prelate; A. V. Leibin, master of work; W. B. Renner, keeper of records and seal; W. H. Doherty, master of exchequer; P. J. Rollon, master of finance: George L. Anderson master of finance; George L. Anderson, master at arms; S. R. Turner, inner guard, and R. W. Waters, outer guard for the ensuing term. A. Woodley, R. W. Waters, W. H. Doherty, S. R. Turner and O. L. Suess were elected representatives to the Grand Lodge, and A. A. Massino, J. J. McCarthy and R. A. Driscoll, trustees.

Frank Schwing Files His Answer. Answering the bill in equity filed against him by his mother, Mary A. H. Schwing, a few weeks ago, in the matter of certain property, Frank A. Schwing states that his course in the management of the estate has been at all times honorable and straightforward, and that he has been all that a son should be to his mother. He has also filed an account of his conduct of

Officers Elected.

The Algemeine Arbeiter Unterstutzung Verein at their annual general meeting in Bielig's Hall elected the following officers: President, Wm. Brakhagen; vice president, Werner Koch, secretary, Charles Bishop; treasurer, Frank Teuber; finance committee, A. Sievers, A. Beckman, Max Kammeres; sick committee, H. Schmidtman, A. Knabe and F. Kness

A Representative-Elect's Misfortune. The residence of Congressman-elect Joshua W. Miles, one of the handsomest at Princess Anne, Md., was destroyed by fire yesterday. Mr. Miles has been confined to his room for some time with an attack of indigestion and slight fever, but he is resting comfortably now despite the rather excit-ing escape from the flames he and his family had after being aroused.

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